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THE BABY OF THE SOUTH.

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PROSPECTUS FOR 1882.

The Editors and Publishers of **WIDE AWAKE** make the following announcement of leading features for 1882:

FROM THE HUDSON TO THE NEVA.

The materials for a *hundred tales of adventure* are crowded into this one **grand serial story of travel**, by **David Ker**. The author has recently visited the countries where the action of this romantic story lies: Algiers, Greece, Turkey, Albania, Montenegro, Russia—thence into Borneo among the fierce and sorcery-loving Malays; hence all descriptions of places, people, manners and customs are accurate. The Editors do not hesitate to say that as a *brilliant story of adventure* it is without one able rival in current juvenile literature. *This story will be fully illustrated.*

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of the Second Century, by **Rev. Edward Everett Hale**, will be a leading attraction of the Christmas (Jan.) number, and will at once take its place in the long line of *Mr. Hale's famous stories*. Other brilliant writers of **Short Stories** will contribute to the magazine during the year: **Mrs. A. D. T. Whitney**, **Mrs. Helen Hunt Jackson** ("H. H."), **Mrs. A. M. Diaz**, **Sophie May**, **Mrs. Kate Gannett Wells**, **Sarah Orne Jewett**, **Mrs. Lizzie W. Champney**, **Nora Perry**, **M. E. W. S.** (**Mrs. Sherwood**), **Author of "Honor Bright," &c.**

Rich material from the *Folk-Lore of all nations* has been given our best balladists and artists for a series of

ILLUSTRATED FOLK-LORE BALLADS.

In the way of informing **Little Citizens** about their future rights and responsibilities, **WIDE AWAKE** boldly takes the lead and does what no other magazine for young folks has ever done for its readers. **Mr. Benjamin Vaughan Abbott**, in

THE TRAVELLING LAW SCHOOL,

will deal with *American institutions and laws*; while

Rev. E. E. Hale, in his **TO-DAY Papers**, will discuss in his vivid, dramatic way what is timely and important in the *world's affairs* from month to month.

Some highly interesting papers, under the quaint titles of **OLD-TIME COOKERY & A SUIT OF HOMESPUN**, descriptive of early days and ways, have been written and illustrated at one of the oldest New England homesteads.

SHORT STORIES FROM THE DICTIONARY,

by **Arthur Gilman, M. A.**, will tell the history of certain words in a way to suggest **How to Use the Dictionary**.

Miss Harris has prepared a most charming set of

WILD FLOWER PAPERS,

to be fully illustrated from nature by **Miss L. B. Humphrey**.

Among the more amusing features will be **A Parlor Comedietta**, running through three numbers; **Games**, both for indoors and out, accompanied by diagrams and spirited illustrations; and fresh and humorous **Studies of Country Life**, in pictures without text.

In the October **WIDE AWAKE** was begun a **Course of Readings** designed for our young folks who would like to read in a thorough manner about *interesting and practical subjects*. The magazine has been *Permanently Enlarged* to admit this

NEW EDUCATIONAL FEATURE.

The Reading Course for 1882 includes the following series (12 papers each):

MAGNA CHARTA STORIES, edited by **Arthur Gilman, M. A.**
WAYS TO DO THINGS, by **Rev. C. R. Talbot**, "**Shirley Dare**," &c.
OLD OCEAN, by **Ernest Ingersoll**.

TRAVELLING LAW SCHOOL, by **Benjamin Vaughan Abbott**.
LITTLE BIOGRAPHIES.—MUSIC, by **Hezekiah Butterworth**.
HEALTH AND STRENGTH PAPERS, by able authors.
WHAT TO DO ABOUT IT, by **The Wise Blackbird**.

MISCELLANEOUS PAPERS on Natural History, Natural Philosophy, Astronomy, Chemistry, Geology, Botany, Ornithology, etc.

ARTISTS AND ENGRAVERS have combined to produce finer illustrations than ever before, a very pleasant indication of which may be gathered from the following

DELIGHTFUL EXTRAVAGANCE!

Last spring the Publishers of **WIDE AWAKE** offered **American artists \$600, in Three Cash Prizes**, for the *Three Best Drawings for Frontispieces to the Magazine*. These *Prize Frontispieces* will appear in **WIDE AWAKE** during 1882. The Cash Award of \$300.00, and the cost of engraving (nearly \$300.00 more), amounting in total expense to \$600.00, make the First Prize picture, **A-Maying**, the most costly frontispiece ever given in a juvenile magazine!

The **Music** will be under the editorship of **Louis C. Elson**, and in advance of anything before attempted.

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The **Subscription Price** of **WIDE AWAKE** is \$2.50 per year; and as a *special liberality* the Publishers have decided to give each new subscriber for 1882, whose name, with \$2.50, is received before January 1st, the *October, November and December numbers* of this year *free*!

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BELLE AND BET-TY'S MER-RY CHRIST-MAS.

ROUND THE CHRIST-MAS TREE.

Big Ba-by Belle and wee Ba-by Bet-ty were large girls be-fore they ev-er saw a Christ-mas tree — two years old and five years old.

Mam-ma al-ways had been poor. She had had no mon-ey to buy e-ven a wee Christ-mas tree, and no time to make pret-ty things to put on it. So her lit-tle girls had hung their stock-ings, and been hap-py with a hand-ful of can-dy.

But this year mon-ey had come to mam-ma — much mon-ey; and now she had time to make pret-ty things. So she bought a tall, hand-some tree, tall e-nough and hand-some e-nough to make up for all the poor years. How green and how live it looked! She hung it with gay can-dles and with gold-en or-an-ges and red ap-

ples, and big pears and ro-sy su-gar peach-es, and tall, twist-ed can-dy canes and great white pop-corn balls, and dolls, and pret-ty rib-bons that tied paint-ed pict-ure-books to the green limbs; and at the ver-y top of the won-der tree she set a smil-ing Christ-child.

Then she light-ed the can-dles, and o-pened the door, and the lit-tle girls came in.

At last Ba-by Bet-ty spoke: “All for me?”

At last Ba-by Belle spoke: “O, my mam-ma! what a boot'-ful Christ-mas!”

Then they all skipped round the tree, mam-ma and her two lit-tle girls; and the smil-ing Christ-child seemed to smile more than ev-er to see this fam-i-ly so hap-py on his birth-day night.

SOME-THING SWEET.



CAN-DY!

Christ-mas day some-thing
sweet hap-pened to Ba-by
Ralph — some su-gar can-dy.

Ralph had nev-er tast-ed
can-dy be-fore, and you should
have seen his big blue eyes.

“Some mo’ an’ some mo’
an’ some mo’!” he said.

“Some more next Christ-
mas,” said mam-ma. And
now ev-er-y morn-ing Ralph
asks, “Kwis’-mas this day?”

Oh, list-en while the chil-dren
sing

(The first one’s name is
Mol-ly),

So loud their mer-ry voi-ces
ring

(The sec-ond one is Dol-ly),
They sound like black-birds in
the spring

(The third is Qua-ker Pol-ly).



A CHRIST-MAS CAR-OL.



ALL THE VIL-LAGE CAME TO DICK'S PAR-TY.

CHRIST-MAS AND FOURTH-OF-JU-LY.



Last Christ-mas Dick-y Day got a dog in his stock-ing — not a can-dy one, but “a livemeat dog” as Sis-sy Jane said. He was buff-and-white and shag-gy, with *such* a sau-cy nose !

He was not *in* Dick’s stock-ing, real-ly ; but pinned up in both of Dick’s socks. Dick-y looked at him long and well, and he took him off up-stairs af-ter break-fast. When he came down a-gain, he said, “I can teach him tricks, I can ; and his name is Blon-do.”

Well, when sum-mer came, on Fourth of Ju-ly night, Blon-do and Dick gave a par-

ty, a big one, out in the barn. Then Blon-do act-ed his "tricks." He danced on his hind feet to mu-sic, all round the ring. He stood on his head. He barked all the notes in the scale. He count-ed up to twen-ty — one, right paw up! two, left paw down!

and so on. And when they cheered him, Blon-do stuck out his sau-cy lit-tle red tongue at them, and laughed, "just like folks," Sis-sy Jane said.

"Hur-rah for Blon-do!" cried all the lit-tle boys.

"Hur-rah for Blon-do!" cried all the lit-tle girls.

TIM AND THE GEESE.

Lit-tle Tim spent hol-i-day week at grand-pa's. He looked at the chick-ens and tur-keys and geese in the barn-yard. "O, grand-pa," he said, "let me have a goose for Christ-mas din-ner. They are so white and hand-some."

What did the white, hand-some geese say to that?

They said "Hiss-s-s-s!"

The next day Tim went out alone to draw a white, hand-some goose on his slate to show the boys at school.

See what the geese did then!



FOUR BA-BIES.



THE BABY OF THE WEST.

The Ba-by of the West — how sweet she is, bless her heart! Pink-and-white, with red lips and great shin-ing eyes — eyes some-times blue, some-times brown, some-times black, but al-ways bright. We robe her in white, and we keep her clean, and she laughs and sings and plays and grows up to be a nice lit-tle school-girl.

The Ba-by of the North — oh, see the lit-tle fat brown thing in her furs! She lives in a house built of cakes of ice, all dark and smok-y in-side. But she has a good time. She rides on her mam-ma's back, tied up in her shawl, and she has a lit-tle cra-dle stuffed with moss, and in sum-mer time she takes her nap hung up in a tree, cradle and all.



THE BABY OF THE NORTH.



THE BABY OF THE EAST.

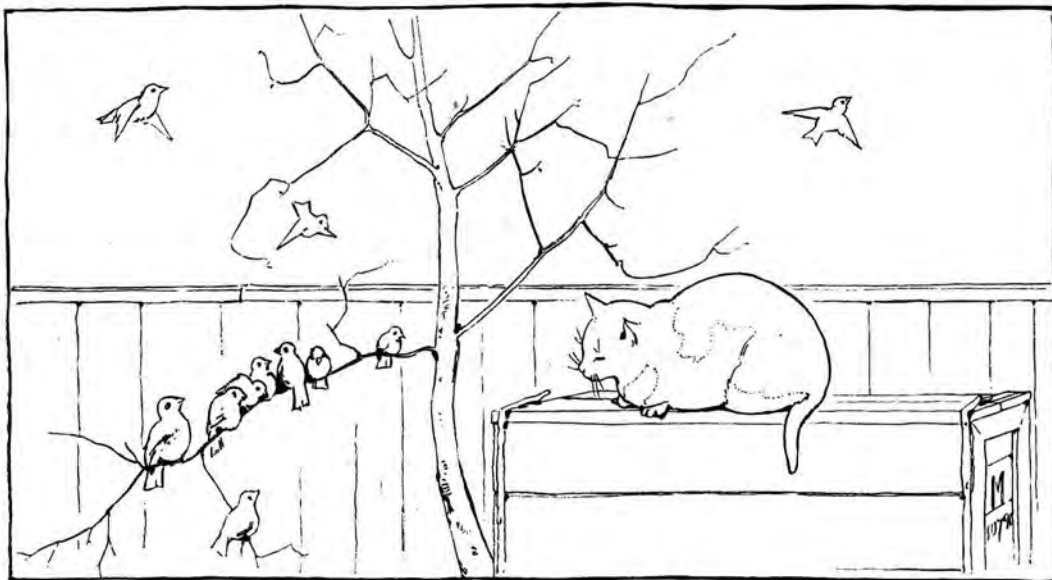
The Ba-by of the East — the yel-low Chi-nese boy — see him smile ! He's glad he is not a girl-ba-by. Then his feet would have to be ban-daged tight to make them small. When he grows up he will eat rice with chop-sticks, and wear his hair in a great long pig-tail braid down his back ; and at school he will have to learn several thou-sand letters, in-stead of twen-ty-six like the Ba-by of the West.

The Ba-by of the South — oh, he's a lit-tle wild Af-ri-can ! His moth-er sticks feath-ers in his tan-gly hair, and he wears a red blank-et. He likes to chew su-gar-cane, and he plays with big tusks of i-vo-ry. Per-haps white men will come some day and teach him to read ; but I think he will be a great fight-ing chief when he grows up, and carry a sharp spear, and go to the wars.

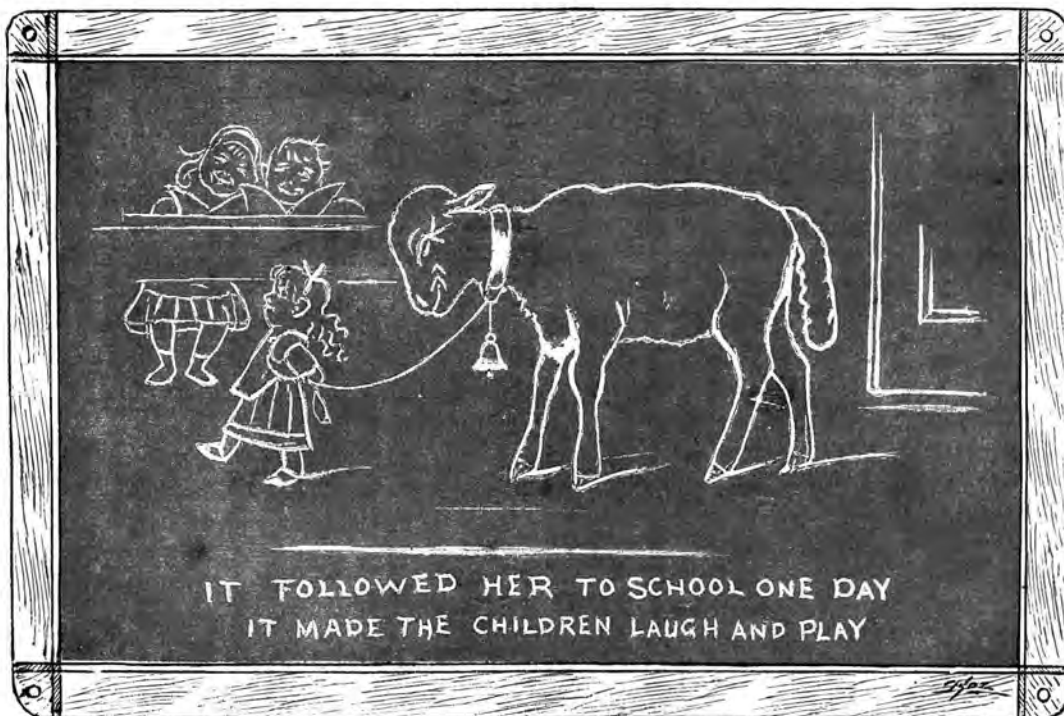


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OUT-LINE PICT-URE TO COL-OR. — SLATE PICT-URE.



"SHE'S A-SLEEP!" — OUT-LINE PICT-URE TO COL-OR.



"MA-RY HAD A LIT-TLE LAMB." — SLATE PICT-URE.

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